

Woman's Viewpoint

NEW DECOLLETAGE IS POPULAR.

BY ANNE RITTENHOUSE.

Special Correspondence of The Star.
NEW YORK, June 13.—As long as last January, Florence Walton, the wife and dancing partner of Maurice, opened the new ballroom in a Lucile gown that had a new decolletage. The bodice was cut off at the shoulders in the way which we associate with the young Queen Victoria, but as this decolletage is not an easy one for a dancer to keep in place, there was a



THE GOWN WITH THE NEW KIND OF LOW NECK IS OF TAFFETA AND TULLE WITH PINK ROSES AT THE WAIST.

tight shoulder piece of white tulle which slipped itself under the edge of a straight shoulder strap of jewels. The tulle was invisible and the dancer had the appearance of wearing a daring decolletage which was held in

LITTLE STORIES FOR BEDTIME

By THORNTON W. BURGESS.

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Bluffer the Adder Tries to Bluff.

To bluff is to pretend. When any one pretends that he is what he is not or that they have got something which they haven't got they are bluffing. If some one makes you think a thing which isn't so they have bluffed you. One who is in the habit of doing such things, or trying to, is a bluffer. It is because of his habit of trying to make people think he is what he is not, and often succeeding. That Bluffer the Adder is called Bluffer. Of all the little people who live on the Green Meadows or in the Green Forest, there isn't another who can ever approach Bluffer the Adder in pretending to be something very different from what he really is.

Now, Farmer Brown's Boy is very like most other boys, and most other people in that he doesn't like snakes. In fact,



THE INSTANT HE KNEW THAT HE WAS DISCOVERED HE THREW HIMSELF INTO A COIL.

for a long time he was very much afraid of them, and whenever he met one tried to kill it. It wasn't until he began to get acquainted with his little neighbors of the Green Forest and the Green Meadows, and to learn to know them and their ways, that he found out that not only are most members of the snake family quite harmless, but that they have a place in the plans of Old Mother Nature and really do a great deal of good in the Great World. After he found this out he never tried to kill Mr. Blacksnake or Mr. Gartersnake or pretty little Mr. Green snake. Instead he tried to make friends with them, even if he did feel in his heart that he never could learn to love them. He learned all he could about the snake family and he found out that with the

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Stubborn growths of coarse hair which have been caused by the unwise use of pastes, rub-on preparations and worthless imitations of De Miraculous, which merely remove hair from the surface of the skin can only be devitalized with De Miraculous, the original liquid hair remover, because it attacks hair under the skin as well as on the surface. It is the best method in the world to-day. Genuine De Miraculous is the highest character of so-called "cosmetics" and is the only one which is used to devitalize the hair. Buy it by name and you will get the only depilatory that has a binding guarantee in each package. Write to your money if it fails. In 60c, \$1.00 and \$2.00 bottles, at your dealer's or direct, postpaid, in plain wrapper. De Miraculous Chemical Co., Dept. A-4, Park Ave. and 129th St., New York.

MADE WITH GINGER.

Gingerbread.

Cream together one cup of sugar and one-half cup of butter with a pinch of salt. Dissolve three-quarters of a teaspoonful of soda in two tablespoonfuls of molasses, and add to sugar with half cup of milk and a scant table-spoonful of ginger. Mix well with two cups of flour and bake in a greased tin in a moderate oven.

Ginger Snaps.

Boil two cups of molasses and add one tablespoonful of soda, one cup of lard, one tablespoonful of ginger, one teaspoonful each of cinnamon and cloves. When cool stir in enough flour to make a stiff batter. Roll out very thin and bake in a hot oven.

LITTLE JOURNIES INTO FASHION LAND

BY MARY LEE.

"An unprecedented demand for shirt waists and blouses" is the report of all dealers. Sport waists are unquestionably the leaders. Popular materials are crepe de chine, wash satin, linen, batiste, voile and silk jersey cloth.

Among the good looking sport waists, the smart numbers have frills of extreme width falling in cascade effect. The frill is worn outside the accompanying jacket or sweater, giving a smart appearance. Other sport waists



SPORT BLOUSE OF LINEN.

follow the Norfolk or Russian blouse lines. Russian blouses showing contrasting colors in the collar, cuffs, ties and buttons are popular for real sport.

Middy blouses and smocks are being shown in a wide range of models and materials, with and without collars. Some slip over the head, others fasten at side or center front. Loose models as well as belted ones are popular, and the length varies from hip-length to nearly full-skirt length in smocks.

The new French collar is shown on a number of the new dresses, and it appears to better advantage so diversified than as originally shown by its designer, on a dressy afternoon frock.

The clever little sport blouse shown in the illustration is made of blue linen, with collar and cuffs of white linen, with a white ribbon bow at the neck, and a white ribbon bow at the waist.

Such a blouse is really an excellent investment, as it may be worn with practically any sport skirt, and a correct costume for athletic wear is thus evolved. The belted skirt blouse, or garden smock, worn with a white or colored linen skirt, makes an admirable morning costume for home wear, and it is a style of dressing that appeals greatly to the younger generation.

Peplums are noted on dressy as well as sport blouses. While many come well below the waist in Russian style, a popular version is very short, about six inches deep, with pointed or scalloped lower edge.

Newest of Taffeta Frocks.

This Parisian design for a taffeta frock has the charm of novelty. There is a cape collar and yoke of white batiste, a severely plain little blouse of the navy blue taffeta with drop shoulders and close-fitting sleeves terminating in prim turned-back cuffs of the batiste tied with quaint bows of picoté ribbon. The sides and back of the skirt are gathered on the line of the hips with a heading, and the wide skirt is finished with a narrow pleating of the taffeta.

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TODAY'S HOUSEHOLD AFFAIRS.

BY MARY LEE.

A prominent physician of our acquaintance sent a little typewritten letter to each of his patients the other day. It began:

"Dear Friend—Poison looks innocent. That is why so many people are poisoned accidentally. Some poisons are sweet to the taste. That is why children may easily mistake them for sugar and water."

"When you buy a poison ask for a distinctive label and have it state the proper antidote. Be particular to keep your poison in its distinctive package. Never tolerate its careless exposure."

In case of poisoning by any of the poisons most commonly taken by accident follow these rules:

Always remember that the first thing in all cases is to empty the stomach.

"Poisoning by mineral acids may be neutralized by chalk, magnesia, even water containing vinegar and lemon juice to neutralize the alkali, then milk, oil or butter."

"For any burning or corrosive poison much help may be given after the vomiting by raw egg in milk."

"White of egg is particularly helpful in corrosive sublimate poisoning."

"Carbolic acid poisoning is difficult to deal with because the anesthetic effect of the poison prevents the action of the usual emetics. A large drink of whisky or alcohol will help to modify the effects of the acid, and renewed efforts may then be made to induce vomiting. Raw eggs and milk are helpful, but the proper antidote is sodium sulphate."

"Concentrated lye has brought death to many children. The antidotes are water containing vinegar and lemon juice to neutralize the alkali, then milk, oil or butter."

"Opium poisoning requires stimulation after emetic treatment. Hot strong coffee should be given and the patient compelled to move about."

"After you have produced vomiting by your emetic, and have given whatever antidote is in your power, do what you can to make your patient comfortable. See that the extremities are warm, give plenty of air, keep the patient awake if the poison was a narcotic, otherwise as quiet as possible. Use all the common sense you can while you wait for the doctor."

But the best time for common sense is before the necessity arises. Remember the distinctive label on the package."

A new midwife looks very much like a Chinaman's shirt, and is excellent carried out in yellow silk.

Your Spring House-Cleaning should not be confined to beating rugs and scrubbing floors. Clean out the accumulated "toxins" that come from heavy winter foods that clog the liver and lower the muscular tone and vitality of the body. Eat Shredded Wheat Biscuit with fresh berries or other fruits and green vegetables. Get back to Nature. Shredded Wheat will bring the bounding buoyancy of new life and vigor. Contains all the goodness of the whole wheat grain. Nothing so strengthening, health-giving and satisfying. Made at Niagara Falls, N. Y.

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Ladies of Washington are invited to interview Mrs. Matthews of New York, who will explain in detail the merits of the Pictorial Review Patterns, and give suggestions of extraordinary value. Pattern Department—Street Floor.

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Auto Goggles, Sun Glasses, Lorgnettes, everything in glasses and a graduate Optometrist to tell you of your eyes.

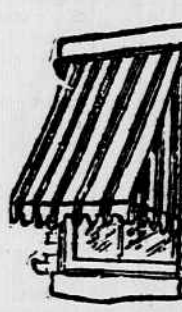
Optical Department—Street Floor.

Preparedness

The Awning

Illustrated 98c

As illustrated—Blue, tan and brown stripes; fast colors. Sizes 2 1/2 ft., 3 ft., 3 1/2 ft., and 4 ft. wide. Complete with all attachments.



Drop Awnings

Special at \$1.98

Drop awnings for the porch, matching the window awnings in colors; size 8 1/2 ft., with pole at bottom. Complete with all attachments.

Aerolux The "No Whip" Porch Shades.

The "no-whip" attachment prevents flapping and assures greater durability. Colors—Brown, green and green and brown combinations. Prices, \$2.50 to \$5.75 for all sizes from 4x7.6 feet to 10x7.6 feet. Palais Royal Fourth Floor—6 Elevators.

CREX GRASS RUGS

With Stenciled Borders.

Genuine Crex, and first quality, heaviest and best. A complete stock.

18 in., plain border. Yard.....45c
24 in., plain border. Yard.....55c
26 in., plain border. Yard.....55c
27 in., stenciled border. Yard.....55c
36 in., stenciled border. Yard.....65c

Crex Hall Runners.

18 in., plain border. Yard.....45c
24 in., plain border. Yard.....55c
26 in., plain border. Yard.....55c
27 in., stenciled border. Yard.....55c
36 in., stenciled border. Yard.....65c

Crex Grass Rugs.

36x72 in.....\$1.25
48x72 in.....\$1.45
60x72 in.....\$1.65
72x72 in.....\$1.85
84x72 in.....\$2.05
96x72 in.....\$2.25
108x72 in.....\$2.45
120x72 in.....\$2.65

Domus Fiber Rugs.

6x9 ft.....\$4.95
8x10 ft.....\$5.95
9x12 ft.....\$6.95

Japanese Matting Rugs.

27x54 in.....25c
36x72 in.....39c
48x72 in.....53c
60x72 in.....67c
72x72 in.....81c
84x72 in.....95c
96x72 in.....109c
108x72 in.....123c
120x72 in.....137c

Palais Royal Fourth Floor—6 Elevators.

IMPORTANT

The responsible head of every house is invited to "an account." See Mr. Beatty, on Fourth Floor.

Tremont Rugs.

Wool and Fiber.

6x9 ft.....\$4.95
8x10 ft.....\$5.95
9x12 ft.....\$6.95

Aberdeen Rugs.

Heavy Scotch weave; reversible. French gray, blue and white, two-tone effects of green, rose, brown and green, blue and gray, blue, brown, lavender, etc.

6x9 ft.....\$5.00
8x10 ft.....\$6.00
9x12 ft.....\$7.00
10x12 ft.....\$8.00
11x12 ft.....\$9.00
12x12 ft.....\$10.00

Palais Royal Second Floor—6 Elevators.

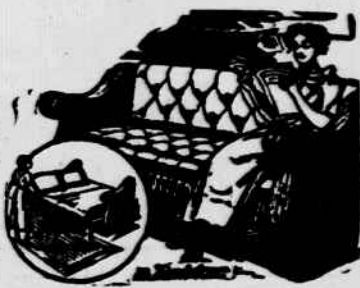
Furniture—An Opportunity

With "porch furniture" now the consideration an opportunity to secure other furniture at less than regular prices is assured. Merely a few hints below—the Palais Royal fourth floor is filled with the best bargains since last August.

Kindel Beds

Exhibition Samples. \$25

The opportunity to save many dollars—and be assured an unusually perfect Davenport or Davenport.



Rockers—Of fumed oak, with Spanish art leather, only \$6.00. Porch Rockers, with double-woven seat, only \$5.00. Complete Suite.....\$25

Tables—Exhibition samples of Tables. Very special—the Solid Oak Library Table, fumed, with magazine rack.....\$6.00

Suites—Of four pieces, Table, Settee, of fumed oak, covered in Spanish art leather. Complete Suite.....\$25

Chairs—More exhibition samples of Chairs. Including Morris Chairs, with all hall cushions, at \$10.00, and Solid Oak Dining Chairs at.....\$1.85

Table Linens—Three Special Lots

31c \$1.25 \$1.50

39c Grade. \$1.39 Grade. \$2.00 Grade.

58-inch Mercerized Bleached Damask, famous for durability.

72-inch Pure Linen Table Damask, full bleached, guaranteed.

72-inch Pure Linen Double Table Damask, much recommended.

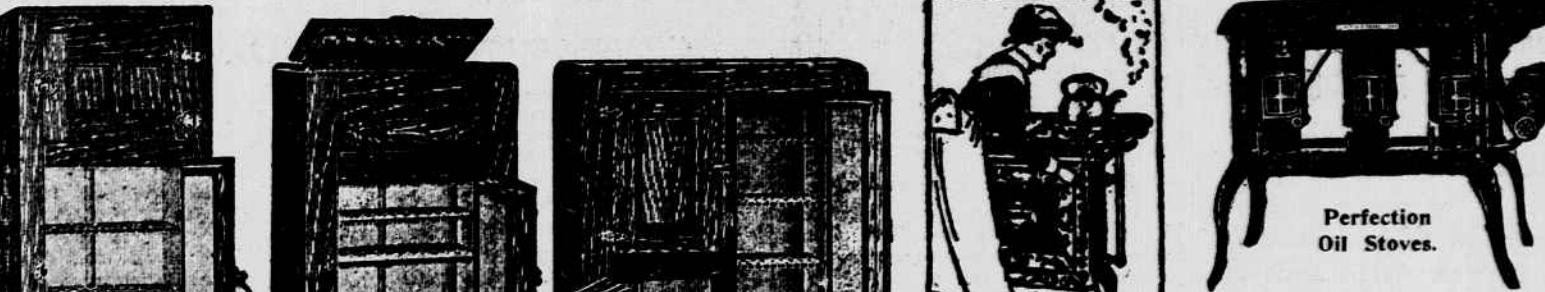
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Hemmed Huck Towels, size 18x38 inches. Superior, no "dressing".

Extra Heavy Double Thread Turkish Bath Towels, hemmed ends, 24x40 inches.

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1 burner at \$2.75; 2 burner at \$4.75. On high legs—2 burners, \$6.75; 3 burners, \$9.75.

Bread Knives, Butter Knives, Ham Slicers and Cooking Knives; Sheffield steel; razor edge, values to 98c each. Special, 35c, 15c

Hollow Handle Knives and 10c Forks. Each.....

Nickel-Silver Tablespoons, Teaspoons, Knives and Forks. 5c Each.....

Sheffield Paring Knives, black handles, 25c 10c value.....

"Little Wonder" Safety Knife and Scissor Sharpener.....19c

\$1.00 Stepladder Chair, light but strong.....79c

All-steel Grass Shear, 25c value.....10c

Electric Iron, complete ready to use; guaranteed 10 years.....\$1.98

\$1.29 Outfit, 79c.

Oil of Cedar Nip.....79c

Cedar Oil, bottle.....25c

Duster.....25c

Total value.....\$1.29

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